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### PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Tetsuya Oishi and Humio Saito for  
 SPEECH PROCESSING SYSTEM AND METHOD THEREFOR

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 28 pages of application (including title page), 7 sheet(s) of drawings and the following  
 Appendices : None.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application
- ☒ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to : Alpine Electronics, Inc..
- ☒ Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document and a certified copy of Japanese  
 Application No. 11-300809.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449 references A1.

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	20 - 20	0
Indep. Claims	4 - 3	1
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